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Sir:

This is a request for filing a:

 continued prosecution application ("CPA") under 37 CFR 1.53(d) continuing application under 37 CFR 1.53(b)

of pending prior application Serial No. 10/084,711, filed on 02/25/2002 of Clive R. van Heerden and George Marmaropoulos for CONDUCTIVE FIBER.

 Enclosed are copies of 12 sheets of specification and 2 drawing sheets (all of which constitutes the specification and drawing in this application) and the Declaration and Power of Attorney as filed in the parent application. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line as a centered heading: --Cross Reference To Related Applications--; and insert below that as a new paragraph -- This is a [ ] continuation  divisional of application Serial No. 10/084,711, filed 02/25/2002.-- An appointment of associates is enclosed. Before calculating the filing fee, cancel in this application original claims 2-10. The filing fee is calculated below:

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- [ ] Priority of application Serial No. \*\*\*\*\* filed on \*\*\*\*\* in \*\*\*\*\*, is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.
- [ ] The certified copy of the priority application was filed in prior application Serial No. \*\*\*\*\*.
- This application is assigned to KONINKLIJKE PHILIPS ELECTRONICS N.V. by way of the assignment filed in application Serial No. 10/084,711.
- Address all future communications to Corporate Patent Counsel, Philips Intellectual Property & Standards, P.O. Box 3001, Briarcliff Manor, New York 10510-8001.
- [ ] A preliminary amendment to this application is enclosed.
- [ ] Enter in this application the amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 which was unentered in the prior application.
- [ ] An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed.
- An Authorization Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a)(3) is enclosed.



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AUTHORIZATION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.136(a) (3)  
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